

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Application of: Rabbani et al.   | Confirmation No: 5738             |
| Serial No.: 09/566,441   | Group Art Unit: 1642              |
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| For: UROKINASE PLASMINOGEN ACTIVATOR<br>RECEPTOR AS A TARGET FOR DIAGNOSIS<br>OF METATASES | Attorney Docket No.: 9471-004-999 |

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated April 15, 2003 be extended for a period of three (3) month(s) from July 15, 2003 to and including October 15, 2003 to permit the filing of a continuation application.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$950.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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